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SPECIAL THANKS TO OUR SPEAKERS, FOR THEIR SUPPORT OF THE COLLEGE AND OUR RENOVATIONS.

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The recently completed renovations address the infrastructure updates required for the College's long-term success. Both Roxbury Community College and our greater community benefit from these campus-wide projects.

The updates included new elevators and new windows. The renovations also ensure that ADA compliant bathrooms are located in all campus buildings.

During the renovations, The Media Arts Center (Building 1) was equipped with a new cooling tower and a new HVAC system. The stage is now handicapaccessible. Additionally, through private and grant funding, the auditorium was renovated to include new seating, a new sound system, new lighting, new carpeting, and new drapes.

At the current stage of the renovations, the Academic Building (Building 3) now houses a new student commons and a new book store. The student commons is now a centerpiece for student and community gatherings, and has a dynamic swooping floor pattern that echoes the active and social aspect of the spaces. A new library, a new academic support center, and upgraded science laboratories will open in 2018.

The Health Sciences Building (Building 4), is now characterized by natural patterns and colors to create calm and focused spaces. Two Timothy Smith rooms, a renovated classroom, the Office of Corporate and Community Education and the CVS Health Mock Pharmacy are now located on the 1st floor. The sky-lit 2nd-floor lounge provides a quiet, informal gathering space for students, faculty, and staff. Additionally, the 2nd floor now includes dedicated Health Sciences spaces including a Nursing skills lab, a mock hospital, a radiology lab, a CNA classroom, and a phlebotomy classroom. A renovated lecture hall, classroom, and dedicated space for faculty and staff comprise the 3rd floor.

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